

NEED \$500,000,000 CUT IN RAIL PAY TO LOWER RATES

This Sum Would Reduce Labor Costs to Roads by Less Than 13 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, May 25 (United Press).—Nearly \$500,000,000 must be subtracted from the wages of railroad workers by the Railroad Labor Board at Chicago before the roads can ask the Interstate Commerce Commission to reduce freight rates, it is estimated here. Government officials here indicated to-day that rates would be cut in July.

A \$500,000,000 cut would reduce by less than 13 per cent. the total annual labor cost of the roads, which at the beginning of 1921 was \$3,000,000,000, according to Dr. Julius Paramec, Director of the Bureau of Railway Economics.

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The roads plan to add a saving of \$100,000,000 on coal purchases to that on wages which the Labor Board is expected to hand down about July 1, as previously announced by the board.

With lower freight rates and lower wage outlay the railroads will be deluged with freight now being held in warehouses as a result of the general economic depression, it is assumed. The general relief to the country will be a revival of trade and manufacturing and lower prices of most commodities, it is predicted.

Railroad managers now are planning to increase the number of workers as soon as the Labor Board hands down its decision. Locomotives and cars now laid up for lack of repairs will be put in service and the roads made ready to handle the rush of business that it is expected will come in midsummer.

Government officials, however, do not believe the wage cut will affect as many as 1,000,000 workers, as was at first reported unconditionally from Chicago. The number of unskilled or common laborers on the road payroll is considerably below 1,000,000. Common labor is lumped in four big classes of workers as follows:

Section hands, 250,000 at work Jan. 1, at \$245,000,000 a year; "all other unskilled workers," 120,000, at \$158,000,000 a year; crossing flagmen, 20,000, at \$25,000,000 a year; and mechanics and helpers, 120,000, at \$207,000,000 a year. The total employed in these classes is 566,000, which means the average pay now is \$1,296 per year, or more than \$109 a month. A 13 per cent. cut would reduce the average pay of these workers by \$149 a year, leaving the average wage at \$1,147, or \$95.58 a month.

**COST EPPSTEIN \$10
TO ANNOY ACTRESS**

Court Mutes Pawnbroker for Pinching Girl's Arm and Displaying Revolver.

Albert Eppstein, forty-five, a pawnbroker, of No. 206 West 42nd Street, was fined \$10 by Magistrate Simpson in Night Court for annoying Miss Sylvia Seville, nineteen, a chorus girl of No. 63 West 58th Street, while they were at the theatre.

Miss Seville testified the pawnbroker entered the theatre intoxicated, and after taking a seat beside her pinched her and threw a revolver in her lap. She said she threw the revolver on the floor and ran screaming up the aisle, and finding a patrolman in front of the theatre, caused the arrest of the pawnbroker on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Eppstein, in court, denied he was intoxicated and produced a permit to carry a revolver.

MANY TROPHIES LOST ON GRANITE STATE

Gov. Miller Asks for Battleship to Replace Burned Vessel.

Witnesses will appear to-day at the Municipal Building to testify in the Fire Department's investigation of the blaze that destroyed the New York Naval Militia training ship Granite State, at 27th Street and North River. It is alleged floating oil from a leaking service pipe was set afire by a motor boat.

The 104-year-old hull has sufficiently cooled for some of the members of the Naval Reserve who lived on the ship to investigate their personal losses. Most of them were completely wiped out. The many trophies housed on the Granite State were destroyed, but the contents of the ship's safe, including records and a large sum in Liberty Bonds, were not damaged. Capt. William Bell Wells, commander of the Granite State, said that Gov. Miller had requested the Navy Department to furnish a modern battleship to the Naval Militia to replace the burned vessel for training purposes.

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